

C o m m u n i t y C e n t e r s

Check with each center about special holiday hours.

The Chula Vista Youth Center, Heritage, Loma Verde, Otay and Parkway Centers provide afternoon and evening activities, and programs for youngsters and adults including crafts, games and special events. The Chula Vista Youth Center, Loma Verde, Otay and Parkway Centers each have a game room available to all ages with activities which include table tennis, foosball and pool. The Chula Vista Youth Center, Otay and Parkway have indoor gymnasiums. Heritage has a dedicated crafts room with kilns and potter's wheels. Otay has a fitness center with free weights, cardio equipment and weight lifting machines (membership is required).

Center Hours

Chula Vista Community Youth Center

Frank Carson, Recreation Supervisor II
465 L Street (619) 691-5276
Mon - Thurs 3 - 8:30 pm
Fri 3 - 7 pm
Sat & Sun 12 - 4 pm

Heritage Park Community Center

Victoria Tom, Recreation Supervisor II
1381 East Palomar St. (619) 421-7032
Mon, Tue, Thurs 2 - 9 pm
Wed 2 - 8 pm
Fri 2 - 7:30
Sat 12 - 4
Sun Closed

Loma Verde Center

Sandy Lucero, Recreation Supervisor II
1420 Loma Lane (619) 691-5082
Mon - Thurs 2:30 - 8:30 pm
Friday 1:30 - 7:30 pm
Sat 12 - 4 pm
Sun Closed

Otay Recreation Center

Michelle Castagnola,
Recreation Supervisor II
3554 Main Street (619) 476-5325
Mon - Thurs 2 - 9:45 pm
Fri 2 - 7:45 pm
Sat & Sun 12 - 3:45 pm

Parkway Community Center

Shaun Ellis, Recreation Supervisor II
373 Park Way (619) 691-5083
Mon - Thu 2:30 - 8:30 pm
Fri 2:30 - 7 pm
Sat & Sun 12 - 4 pm

For more information concerning the following events, contact the center hosting the event.

COMMUNITY YOUTH CENTER

Parents Night Out

Sat, Oct. 18 5 - 9:30 pm
This night is dedicated for the parents to have a night out while the children participate in activities at the Community Youth Center. Activities include sporting events, free games, a movie, food and drinks. Limited space, please sign up in advance to secure a spot. Ages 3 & up. Activity #3197.481
Fee: \$7 per child

Overtime

The Youth Center will remain open until 11 pm after every CVHS home football game. Free food, games, and open gym.

Art Zone

Wed 3:15 - 4:15 pm
This is a FREE creative arts and crafts program for boys and girls ages 5 - 14. Each week, participants have the opportunity to try something new with art: drawing, painting, crafts, and a whole lot more.

Sports Club

Tue & Thurs 3:15 - 4:15 pm
This is a FREE program for boys and girls ages 6 - 14. Activities will include instructions on the fundamentals of indoor soccer, baseball, basketball, indoor hockey, and flag football. Teamwork and good sportsmanship will be stressed.

Game Day

Fridays 3:15 - 4:15 pm
Single and double elimination tournaments in a variety of games such as billiards, dominos, table tennis, and video games. FREE.

HAPPENING AT HERITAGE!

Kickball League

Sept. 27 - Dec. 6
Looking for a fun close-knit social experience? You've found it! Games will be played weekly and a tournament will be held at the end of the season to crown the Heritage Kickball Champion. Get your friends and neighbors together and join us for an old childhood game. This is a co-ed league and requires four participants of each gender per team. Games will be played on Saturday or Sunday.
Fee: \$100 per team
(includes all equipment, regular season games, tournament games and awards.)

Catch Recreation In Your Parks

A variety of fun for all ages in your own backyard! Sept. - Oct, 5 - 7 pm.
Call (619) 421-7032 for activities and more information.

Story Times

Space is limited to first 20 parents and children for each session.
Sept. 29 & Nov. 24

Preschool Story Time (3 yrs. & over)

10 - 10:45 am

Baby Time (3 - 5 years)

11 - 11:30 am

Fall Intersession Camp

8:30 am - 4:30 pm
Arts & crafts, games, field trips and more.
Fees range from \$100 - \$120

Nature Adventure Sept. 22 - 26

Birch Aquarium
Chula Vista Nature Center

Out & About Sept. 29 - Oct. 3

El Cajon Boardwalk
J Street Marina

Summer in Fall Oct. 6 - 10

Belmont Park
Pumpkin Patch

Halloween Carnival

Oct. 31 3 - 5 pm
Come out and enjoy some tricks and treats. Play a variety of games and participate in arts, crafts and a costume contest.
Fee: up to \$1.50 (for cost of crafts).

Santa's Secret Workshop

Dec. 12 & 19 2 - 5 pm
This is your opportunity to make a gift for your family members and give Santa your wish list, too. Wrapping will be available. Fee: FREE - \$1.50.

LOMA VERDE ROCKS!

For more information on any of the following programs, call (619) 691-5082.

Loma Verde Creative Corner

Tue 3 - 4:30 pm
This is a free program for girls and boys, ages 5 - 14. Creative Corner is designed to introduce participants to a variety of holiday and seasonal crafts. A calendar of craft projects is located at the center.

Loma Verde Sports Club

Thurs 3 - 4:30 pm
This is a free program for boys and girls, ages 6 - 14. Activities will include instructions on the fundamentals of floor hockey, soccer, baseball, basketball, and flag football. Team work and good sportsmanship will be stressed. There will be swim days and BBQs.

Programs

Fall Fest

October 24 3 - 5 pm
Come join the autumn festival! There will be a variety of activities from games, prizes, crafts, pictures, and a costume contest. All activities are FREE.

Club LV Teen Dance: Monster Bash

October 24 8 - 11 pm
DJ will be playing the best hip-hop, top 40s, and slow jams. Activities will include a best costume contest, raffles and much more. For middle and high school students. \$3 cover charge.

Santa's Workshop

December 12 2:30 - 5:30 pm
Make gifts and ornaments for 50¢ per project. Community volunteers will help the children with their projects. Come and join the fun!

Santa is Coming to Loma Verde Center

December 19 3:30 - 5 pm
Come and give Santa your last minute list. Free candy canes for everyone. Parents--don't forget your cameras!

WizKidz

The Wiz Kidz program is part of the Chula Vista Recreation Department Drug Prevention and Gang Diversion Program. Activities are designed to increase drug awareness, build self-esteem and enhance refusal skills.



Loma Verde Center

Fri 4:30 - 6:30 pm

Otay Center

Mon - Wed 3 - 4:30 pm
Thu 2 - 4:30 pm
Fri 1 - 4:30 pm

OTAY'S OUT OF SIGHT!

J.U.M.P.

Thursdays 3 - 4 pm
Join J.U.M.P., a free multi-sport program that teaches skills in a variety of different sports for ages 6 - 12.

Parent/Kid Night Out

Sept. 26 7-11 pm
Parents: drop your kids off for a few hours of fun and take some time for yourself. Kids will enjoy games, crafts, dinner, and prizes during the night of fun at Otay. Fee: \$20

Fall Fest

Nov. 21 1:30-3:30 pm
Have autumn fun with games, food, crafts, and contests. Prizes for a pie eating contest, corn husking contest, and a watermelon seed spitting contest. It's FREE!

Gifts Galore!!

Dec. 19 1:30-3:30 pm
Need a gift for a family member or friend? Come to Otay and choose a few holiday gifts to make. Fee: 50¢ per project. (Gift bag and decorating items included.)

PARKWAY PRESENTS

Parkway Projects

Fridays 3:30 - 5 pm
Join the Parkway staff for an enjoyable time creating a variety of projects for various occasions. This activity is offered free of charge.

Gym Wiffleball

Mondays & Wednesdays
Begins Sept. 8
This program is structured to teach good sportsmanship, promote team work, and of course to have fun! FREE activity. Ages 7-14 are welcome to attend.

Challenge The Staff Week

Sept. 22 - 26
Challenge staff to any game you choose. If you win, you will get a prize. Beware: Parkway staff are pretty good at all the games, so challenge if you dare. This activity is FREE for ages 6-14.

Homework Club

Tuesdays & Thursdays
Begins Sept. 9
Children can study or do homework. Staff assistance upon request. FREE!

Halloween Carnival

October 31 6 - 9 pm
\$2 will get you a beverage, popcorn and ten game tickets. Ages 3 - 14, and of course parents who are young at heart. There will also be a costume contest. Prizes will be given to the scariest, cutest, and most creative costumes. Drop by after trick or treating or come and enjoy the whole event.

Turkey Shoot / Pool Tournament

Nov. 17-21 3:30 - 4:30 pm
Play "King of the Table" until you lose each day (if you lose you can sign up again). The last person on the table each day at 5 pm wins. The winners from each day are invited back on Friday for the tournament of champions and a prize will be given. FREE!

Holiday Day Camp

Dec. 22 - 24 & Dec. 29 - 31
This popular camp is scheduled during those two weeks when the children are out of school. An array of activities, projects, and games are planned for this six-day camp.



**Come join the
fun at the
Chula Vista
Community
Centers!**